
Smoking Bacon

Information Gained Through Experiments At Nappan, Nova Scotia

The low price of pork and pork products very often results in the marketing of unfinished hogs. This turns forces the market to even over levels and results, in many cases, in losses to the producer. A series of experiments conducted by the Nappan Experiment Station have shown a profit. In these times of depression the advantages of marketing only superior quality products are even more marked than when prices are high. For example, in 1929 when hogs were selling for 12 cents per pound or more, the premium for a select hog was \$1 or an increase of 10 per cent.

cents per pound. In 1932, with a price of 4 cents per pound, the increase in value on a select hog is 12.5 per cent. Similarly the percentage dockage on sides below bacon is increased with decrease in hog prices.

The Dominion Experimental Farm at Nappan, Nova Scotia, has been conducting various experiments over a period of years, comparing various feeds for growing and finishing bacon pigs. Space does not permit a detailed account of all these experiments, but they include comparisons of skin-milk, tankage and fish meal, angels and swedes for green feed, and bran and barley, and oats, timothy and barley.

The results in general show that

that fish meal is a valuable sub-

One point brought out during these tests is the value of having an early maturing strain of hogs to start with. For example, in 1929 two groups of pigs by the same sire from two different sows were fed alike. One group showed an average daily gain of 1.22 pounds, and the feed cost per pound of gain was 7.80 cents, while the other group gained 1.31 pounds per day and cost 7.16 cents per pound.

Proper type, plus uniform finish, commands a premium on the open market, and any increase in our bacon production must be based on these points, if success is to be made.

Exhibits Are Unrivalled

Britain Maintains Her Ascendancy At Air Show in Paris

firm and emphasize that impres-

British exhibits at Paris include samples of military aircraft that are revolutionized in speed and general flying efficiency by any standard craft built elsewhere, new engines ranging in power output from 140 to 800 h.p., a model, on public view for the first time, of the uncanny device known as "automatic pilot," and many of essential component parts and materials that go to the make-up of modern British flying machine.

An Editor's Success

Now One Was Able To Retire With a Fortune

This was sent to encourage the

However, cheer up! I just heard

o retired with a fortune. When
ed the secret of his success he

hed: "I attribute my ability to re-
turn with a \$100,000 bank balance,
after 30 years in the country news-
paper field to close application to
my, pursuing a policy of strict hon-
esty, always practising vigorous rules
economy, and to the recent death
my uncle who left me \$28,500."
—*Ermer's Buz*

Five Million Dollar Stadium

*Project Now In Contemplation
in Old London*

Possibly a stadium may be built
Tottenham Court Rd., W., at a cost
about \$5,000,000 according to the
and of a prominent London real estate
firm, if present negotiations
connection with real estate goes
ough. The stadium would provide

test, dancing tournaments and ice hockey. Exhibitions would also be

Conductor of school band: "Now we will play 'Rule Britannia' for our good number."

Schoolboy with trumpet (whispering nervously to boy next him): "My t, I just played that?"

Mr. Pig: "The children eat too much."

Mrs. Pig: "Oh, give 'em time -- they'll be cured."

